

January 19, 2025 • Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Monday-Friday 7:00 & 11:45 a.m. Saturday 7:00 a.m., Vigil 5:00 p.m. Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. & 12:00 Noon (*ad orientem*) Holy Days of Obligation: Vigil 6:30 p.m., 7:00 & 10:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon (*ad orientem*), 6:30 p.m.

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Saturday: 4:00 p.m. • Sunday: thirty minutes before each Mass

#### DEVOTIONS

**The Holy Rosary** follows the 7:00 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. Masses daily. The Dominican Rosary is prayed at 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays and 8:30 a.m. on Sundays.

Eucharistic Adoration 12:15-8:00 p.m. on Tuesdays.

Novena to St. Margaret of Castello (with the veneration of her relic) follows the 7:00 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. Masses on Wednesdays.

Holy Hour with Benediction 12:15-1:15 p.m. on Fridays.

Fatima Devotions follow the 7:00 a.m. Mass on First Saturdays.

**All Night Eucharistic Adoration for Life** Third Friday of the month from 8:00 p.m. until Benediction at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday, with recitation of the Holy Rosary at a local abortion facility following the Saturday 7:00 a.m. Mass.

All Night Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations Fourth Friday of the month from 8:00 p.m. until Benediction at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday.

Stations of the Cross (during Lent) 7:00 p.m. on Fridays.

The St. Gerard's Mothers Blessing and enrollments in the Angelic Warfare Confraternity and the Rosary Confraternity are scheduled three times during the year after all Masses.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** Sundays at 1:15 p.m. Please contact the parish office to schedule your child's baptism. First-time parents must attend a baptism class on the second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY** Please contact the parish office at least nine months before your intended wedding date to fill out a Marriage Request Form. Non-parishioners must receive the permission of their pastor before scheduling their wedding at St. Patrick's.

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK** Parishioners experiencing a medical emergency requiring the sacraments for someone in danger of death should call 614-224-9522, and press "8" to contact the priest on duty. Homebound parishioners who would like to schedule monthly visits from a priest and/or weekly visits from an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to the Homebound should contact the parish office.

DIOCESAN SHRINE OF SAINT MARGARET OF CASTELLO, O.P. Kristen Phillips, Guild Secretary | 614-240-5915

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#### **BULLETIN DEADLINE:**

Please submit bulletin items a minimum of one week in advance of publication to Keelin Johnson, Bulletin Editor, at keelinjohnson@stpatrickcolumbus.org.



Dominican Friars



A few days before Christmas, I announced at all Masses that we were only a few thousand dollars short of reaching our pledge goal for *The Appeal*, which supports various ministries and activities throughout the Diocese of Columbus. Thanks to the generosity of you, our parishioners, we met our goal and then some! With a parish goal of \$153,636.70 set by the Diocese, as of this past Monday, we have pledged \$211,082.50, of which \$199,948.59 has been paid. This means that right now, \$46,311.89 is guaranteed to come back to the parish as a rebate (and this money will come back in full – it is not subject to the diocesan assessment of parish income). Thank you to everyone who has been so generous! I also mentioned when I addressed the parish last month that the money we receive as part of our rebate will go to two important projects for the parish – a new roof for the parish center and priory, and upgraded lighting for the church. Both of these are needs for our parish, and one is very timely.

Over the last couple of years, we have been finding a number of leaks in the parish center, and inspectors have discovered damage to the roof. It seems that this was caused by faulty ventilation during the initial installation of the roof in 2002, and made worse by hailstorms last year. So, we need to replace the roof now, in order to protect our beautiful parish center building. An insurance claim for this damage was denied, since the roof was already compromised, so the parish will have to fund the project itself. And, we will make sure that the ventilation is installed properly, so that the roof will last for many decades to come! The roof of the priory is also seeing its final years, and while there isn't an urgent need to replace that roof, it would be best to do so now while applying for permits and putting up scaffolding (though the Dominican friars reside in the priory, the building is owned by the parish).

Another need for our parish is replacing the lights of the church with LED lighting. On one hand, this is to help brighten our church and bring out the beauty of our sacred art and architecture. On the other hand (and more practically speaking), we're foreseeing an inevitable dilemma: the incandescent bulbs currently used in our church are no longer manufactured, so we are relying on whatever is left in the current stock. If we don't upgrade to LED lighting in the near future, we will eventually no longer have the necessary light bulbs for our church.

In discussions with the parish finance council, we are

considering the timetable for these projects, recognizing the immediate necessity of the roof project, and potential options for fundraising (while also recognizing that the lighting project can be tabled until 2026). I hope to have more information about this timetable in the near future. In the meantime, we still can benefit from *The Appeal*, which will continue until March of this year before the launch of the 2025 campaign. At this point, every dollar that you pledge and give to The Appeal will come back to the parish and support the new roof and lights. This will put us on a strong trajectory to fund these projects, without needing to dip too much into our parish savings. We will, in all likelihood, still need to finance part of the project with a loan from the Diocese's Parish Aid Fund, as we did with the church roof replacement and pipe organ renovation in 2018. A breakdown of current estimates and funding may be found on the chart on the next page. If you haven't given yet to The Appeal, I ask you to consider making a pledge or contribution at this time, in order to support these two major parish projects. While our parish has paid nearly \$200,000.00 of its pledges for The Appeal, this comes from just over a quarter of families registered in the parish. Imagine what that number could be if the other three quarters of the families made some contribution? Would you help our parish by making a donation to The Appeal before March? A new roof to the parish center protects the spaces that we use for parish social events, and the classrooms where our children are instructed in the faith. As a sign of stewardship and to set the pace for charitable giving, the Dominican friars have pledged a contribution to the roof project, intended to cover the priory roof.

In closing, thank you again to all who have contributed to *The Appeal* for 2024. Your generosity to the Diocese and to the parish is greatly appreciated. Please pray for our parish as we undertake these two important projects, which will benefit our parishioners for years in the future.

God bless you,

Fr. Paul, O.P.

#### **BULLETIN DEADLINES**

Deadline for February 2 is January 24 Deadline for February 9 is January 31 Deadline for February 16 is February 7 Deadline for February 23 is February 10 Submit at: keelinjohnson@stpatrickcolumbus.org

#### ST. GERARD MOTHER'S BLESSING

The St. Gerard Mother's Blessing will be offered after every Mass the following dates in 2025: February 22-23, 2025 June 28-29, 2025 October 18-19, 2025

## *The Appeal* 2024 and Funding for the Roof/Church Lighting

### St Patrick Church, Columbus - 10424



280 N. Grant Ave., Columbus, OH 43215 - -

As of January 13, 2025, the parish has exceeded its pledge goal by **\$57,445.80**. It has overpaid its pledge goal by **\$46,311.89**, which is guaranteed to come back to the parish assessment-free, with 2.5 months left in the current campaign.

#### ESTIMATES FOR ROOF AND LIGHTING PROJECTS

Roof only (parish center and priory): \$190,000-\$200,000 Roof project bundled with lighting project: \$250,000-\$275,000

#### **CURRENT FUNDRAISING – Payments and Pledges as of 1/13/25**

The Appeal rebate	\$46,311.89
Contribution from the Dominican Friars (pledge)	\$30,000.00
Grant from The Catholic Foundation	\$10,000.00
Parishioner donation from Donor Advised Fund	\$23,000.00
(through The Catholic Foundation)	

TOTAL

\$109,311.89

#### MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS



**SATURDAY, January 18** 5:00 p.m. Parishioners and Benefactors

#### SUNDAY, January 19 – 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:00 a.m.	+Richard Nohle, Sr.
9:00 a.m.	+Richard Sayre
10:30 a.m.	+Mary Ellen Tully
12:00 p.m.	+Dominic Policaro

#### **MONDAY**, January 20

7:00 a.m. Kathy Conway11:45 a.m. Deceased Parents, Benefactors, Familiars, Brothers, and Sisters of the Order of Preachers

TUESDAY, January 21 – St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr (M)
7:00 a.m. +Victor Dosch
11:45 a.m. +ENFN James Baumer, USN

#### WEDNESDAY, January 22 -

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children7:00 a.m. +Anastacio Yang and +Richard Lumpe11:45 a.m. Rocky and Bridget Bowman

#### THURSDAY, January 23

7:00 a.m. Angelina Ferguson 11:45 a.m. +Olga Jimenez

#### FRIDAY, January 24 – St. Francis de Sales,

Patron of the Diocese of Columbus (F) 7:00 a.m. The Weaver Family 11:45 a.m. Annalee Ruth Speicher

#### SATURDAY, January 25 -

#### The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle (F)

7:00 a.m. +Betty Jones5:00 p.m. +Sandy and Fred Wehring

#### SUNDAY, January 26 – 3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:00 a.m.	+Richard Nohle, Sr.
9:00 a.m.	Parishioners and Benefactors
10:30 a.m.	+Timothy Elflein
12:00 p.m.	+Brian Cheney May

#### **BAPTISM CLASS FOR FIRST-TIME PARENTS**

February 12 at 7:00 p.m. 2nd floor Parish Center classroom. Preregistration is required. Please contact the Parish Office to sign up. Future classes will be on the 2nd Wednesday of each month.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, January 19 2nd Collection – Propagation of the Faith 10:15 a.m. CCD (PH, AH, 2nd Fl.)

Monday, January 20 – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day The Parish Office is closed.

#### Tuesday, January 21

12:15-8:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (Church) 7:00 p.m. High School Youth Ministry (PH, Church, Lib.)

#### Wednesday, January 22

9:30 a.m. Women's Book Study (AH)
7:00 p.m. Choir (PH)
7:00 p.m. Martha-Mary Circle (Kolbe)
7:00 p.m. OCIA (AH)
7:30 p.m. Catholic in Recovery (Lib., DePorres)

#### Thursday, January 23

9:30 a.m. Martha-Mary Circle (Kolbe)

#### Friday, January 24

9:00 a.m. CGS (AH, 2nd Fl., Bsmt.)8:00 p.m. All Night Vigil for Vocations

#### Saturday, January 25

7:30 a.m. That Man is You (at Plank's) AHG Candy Sale after 5:00 p.m. Mass

#### Sunday, January 26

2nd Collection – Church in Latin America AHG Candy Sale after all Masses 10:15 a.m. CCD (PH, AH, 2nd FL.)

#### Looking Ahead for 2025

Enrollments in the Angelic Warfare Confraternity and the Rosary Confraternity will be offered after each Mass the following weekends in 2025:

#### ANGELIC WARFARE CONFRATERNITY

January 25-26, 2025 May 31-June 1, 2025 September 27-28, 2025

#### **ROSARY CONFRATERNITY**

February 15-16, 2025 July 12-13, 2025 October 11-12, 2025

# Candlemas

## at St. Patrick Church

Come join the Dominican Friars

## Saturday, February 1st at 5:00pm

for

### THE VIGIL MASS OF Our Lord's Presentation in the Temple

with

the Blessing of the Candles, a Candlelight Procession through the Church, traditional Dominican Chant, and the *Oblatio candelarum* (a special Dominican custom)

<u>Bring your votive and devotional candles to be blessed at this Mass</u> Candlemas candles for home use will also be available for a suggested donation

This special solemn Mass will take place instead of our normal 5pm Vigil. For those attending, it <u>does</u> fulfill your Sunday obligation.



#### SAVE THE DATE: TRIVIA NIGHT – FEBRUARY 22nd

This year's Trivia Night will be on Saturday, February 22nd, beginning at 6:00 p.m., sponsored by the St. Patrick's Fellowship. Our pastor, Fr. Paul Marich, will once again be the M.C. for the evening! Please note that this event was moved from its usual weekend at the end of January, due to scheduling conflicts with the March for Life pilgrimage and our parish Candlemas celebration. We apologize for any inconvenience. Information about signing up your group will be coming in the next couple of weeks.

#### WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY BOOK STUDY

Women's Wednesday Book Study is back! We will be studying Jeff Cavin's Bible study, *Revelation: The Kingdom Yet to Come* (Ascension Press, 2019 edition). We will meet January 22-April 9 from 9:30-11:30 a.m. The workbook can be ordered from ascensionpress.com. (The 2019 edition is not available on Amazon.) For more information, text or call Chris Blank at 860-235-4421.



#### ANGELIC WARFARE CONFRATERNITY ENROLLMENT

Enrollment in the Angelic Warfare Confraternity will be offered after each Mass on the weekend of January 25/26. The Angelic Warfare Confraternity is a supernatural fellowship of men and women bound to one another

in love and dedicated to pursuing and promoting chastity together under the powerful patronage of St. Thomas Aquinas and the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a wonderful aid to the virtue of chastity. If you have not joined the AWC already, please consider being enrolled after one of the Masses on January 25/26.

#### THAT MAN IS YOU

Men of the parish, you are invited to TMIY fellowship on Saturday mornings in Aquinas Hall. We start at approximately 7:40 a.m., right after the 7:00 a.m. Saturday Mass (please note on First Saturdays of each month, we will start at approximately 8:25 a.m., after Fatima Devotions in the church). Grow in faith and friendship with other men striving to know the Lord better! Any questions, call Kevin McNamara at 614-598-8405.

## COLUMBUS FRASSATI SOCIETY invites those in their 20s and 30s to:

Christ in the City, 7:00 p.m. Thursday, January 30th, St. Patrick Church. Come for Eucharistic adoration, Confessions and Dominican Compline (night prayer) followed by fellowship in Aquinas Hall. Please be sure to enter the building through the back doors by the Saint Patrick parking lot.

#### **RESPECT LIFE MASS with Bishop Earl Fernandes**

Monday, January 27, 2025, at 10:00 a.m., St. Joseph Cathedral, 212 E. Broad Street, Columbus 43215. Please note that the Mass time is earlier than in previous years.

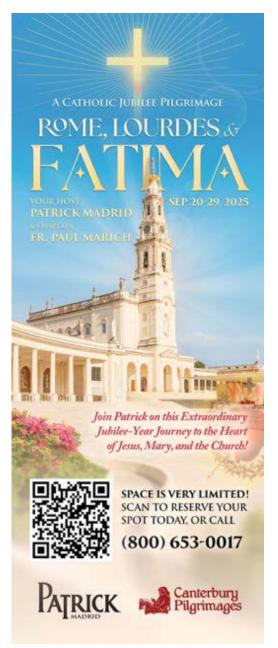
#### **ROE REMEMBRANCE at the Ohio Statehouse**

Monday, January 27, 2025, at 12:00 p.m. For more information and to prepare for your participation, please visit www.gcrtl.org/roe.html.



CATHOLIC IN RECOVERY Wednesday Nights – 7:30-8:30 p.m. at the St. Patrick Parish Library. Catholic Sacramental recovery resources for those seeking freedom from alcoholism and drug addiction. For more information, please visit: www.catholicinrecovery.com or contact Jon at circolumbus@gmail.com or 614-588-4022.

If you cannot attend on Wednesdays, please join us at St. Peter Church, 6899 Smoky Row Road, Columbus, OH 43235 on Monday evenings from 8:00-9:00 p.m.





### Please support St. Patrick's American Heritage Girls Troop OH0031

If you aren't interested in the delicious chocolate yourself, you can still purchase a small or large gift bag and we will donate it to the retired priests & religious at Mohun Hall!



Stop by the table at the east entrance after all Masses the following weekends to pick up some bars and bags!





Single bar: \$1.50 Small bag (3 bars of random variety): \$5 Large bag (6 bars of random variety): \$10 20 bars of your choice : \$25 (\$5 in savings!)

AHG's mission is to build women of integrity through service to God, family, community, and country

Questions?

Please email: ahg.oh0031@gmail.com



#### **CLERGY WHO COOK**

The beloved "Clergy Who Cook" event, hosted by the Friends of the Josephinum, will take place on January 31, 2025. This sold-out evening

showcases the culinary talents of clergy from across the diocese as they prepare and compete with their favorite dishes—all to benefit the seminarians at the Pontifical College Josephinum.

While tickets to the event are no longer available, you can still join in the fun and support our 80+ seminarians by "voting" for your favorite Clergy Chef! Each donation made counts as a vote, with all proceeds going directly to fund the needs of the seminarians throughout their education.

The Clergy Chef team that raises the most money will receive the prestigious "Grand Chef" award, so let your generosity shine and help these dedicated men as they answer their call to the priesthood.

Thank you for supporting this vital mission!

For more information or to vote visit https://www.pcj. edu/clergywhocook/



## Frassati 25

#### A pilgrimage to the canonization of Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati with Dominican friars

July 27 - August 6, 2025 Men, ages 18-25 Cost: \$4,195 Deadline: March 4 (first deposit)

If interested, reach out to Fr. Vincent Bernhard: vincent.bernhard@opeast.org

**CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON – FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2025 – SPEAKER FATHER JOE YOKUM.** Please join us on Friday, February 7 at St. Patrick Church for a luncheon featuring a talk by Father Yokum who is pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help and chaplain for the Franklin County Sheriff's Department, Grove City Police Department, and the Ohio Department of Natural Resources. Fr. Yokum will present a talk entitled "Pastoral Care for Law Enforcement Officers and Their Families." At present there is no sponsor for this meeting. If you are interested in sponsoring this meeting or another luncheon, contact David Kilanowski at dkilano@aol.com. Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Fr. Yokum's presentation. No reservations are necessary. \$12.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! Our next meeting will be on March 7, 2025, when Bishop Fernandes will present the Catholic Man of the Year Award. Please mark your calendar to attend.

#### SUNDAY COLLECTION

Sunday 1/12/2025	Actual	Budget	Over/Under
Weekly Offertory:	\$31,964.00	\$43,212.00	(\$11,248.00)
Other Income (parish activities, programs):	\$545.00	\$1,488.00	(\$943.00)
Capital Repair Fund	\$13,655.00	\$250.00	\$13,405.00
Total Income:	\$46,164.00	\$44,950.00	\$1,214.00
Year to Date Offertory:	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Over/Under
	\$815,613.00	\$819,369.00	(\$3,756.00)

Your offertory donation supports the day-to-day operations of your parish.

2nd Collections (Diocesan, Dominican, O	ther)	
Little Margaret's Charity	\$475.00	\$\$\$\$Q
Donation to Parish Activity	\$155.00	2000 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
Propagation of the Faith	\$80.00	100002005
Christmas Flowers	\$50.00	
Ukraine Relief – Dominican Sisters	\$30.00	https://stpatrickcolumbus.
Total Offerings from 2nd Collections:	\$790.00	weshareonline.org



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